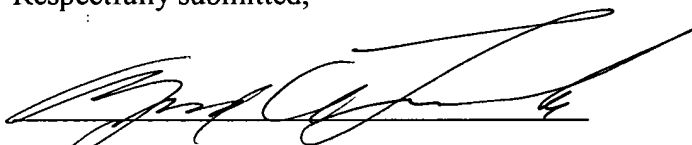


REMARKS

Applicant has amended the present application to indicate priority claimed, to remove multiple dependencies and to conform the application to proper U.S. practice. The figure numbers of Figures 1 and 2 have been corrected in the enclosed Replacement Sheet. It is apparent that the original figure numbers are incorrect in view of the original specification; including page 5, lines 22-26. No new matter is presented in the Replacement Sheet. It is believed that the application is now in condition for examination and early passage to allowance is earnestly solicited.

The Examiner is invited to contact applicant's attorney at the number below if there are any questions.

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